

CHAPTER NO. 825

SENATE BILL NO. 963

By Norris

Substituted for: House Bill No. 828

By Phillip Johnson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 8, Part 1, relative to following distance behind school buses.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-8-151, is amended by adding the following language as new subsection (b) and by redesignating the remaining subsections accordingly:

(b) LEAs are authorized to display a sticker on the rear of school buses directing drivers to remain at a distance of at least one hundred feet (100 ft.) while the bus is in motion, except when lawfully overtaking and passing such school bus. The Department of Safety shall develop uniform standards for such stickers.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2006, the public welfare requiring it.

May 23, 2006


JOHN S. WILDER
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE


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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 2nd day of June 2006


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